Staff Memorandum

To	Mayor A. Nuttall and Members of Council
Subject	February Events Calendar in Recreation and Culture Services
Date	January 28, 2026
Ward	All
From	K. Datema, Director of Recreation & Culture Services
Executive Member Approval	J. Schmidt, General Manager of Community and Corporate Services
CAO Approval	M. Prowse, Chief Administrative Officer

The purpose of this Memorandum is to provide members of Council with an update concerning key programming, rental, and special event activities taking place during the month of February. The calendar in Appendix 'A' represents a summary of larger planned events taking place throughout our many recreation and cultural venues next month.

While February continues to be a quieter month as residents settle back into their routines after the holiday season, the City of Barrie offers a variety of activities from sporting events to theatre performances and more, ensuring there are plenty of activities for residents and visitors to enjoy.

The theatres provide numerous opportunities to experience a variety of shows such as Jurassic Jump Dino Beach Party & Dance at Georgian Theatre on February 7-8 presented by Moonwalk Entertainment. Five Points Theatre showcases Rodgers and Hammerstein's Cinderella presented by Kempenfelt Community Players February 5-15 as well as a tribute to Maestro Fresh Wes on February 14 for Black History Month.

Sadlon Arena continues to host the Barrie Colts' home games throughout the month of February, and the Big Air Allstars, a new event, takes place on February 28. The BWHA Winter Classic hockey tournament takes place February 14-16 across the city at multiple facilities over the Family Day weekend. Another exciting event is taking place at Allandale on February 20-21 as Ontario Winter Games hosts their speed skating event.

The 55+ Centre will be hosting a Valentine's Luncheon on February 10 followed by a fun 55+ Dance on February 24 at Allandale Community Centre.

Winterfest will take place on February 7-8, a much-loved event for all City of Barrie winter lovers.

Appendix:

Appendix A –February Programming and Events

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Appendix A-February Programming and Events

MONTH of FEBRUARY		
DATE	**LOCATION**	**ACTIVITY or EVENT**
AT THE THEATRE		
February 7-8	Georgian Theatre	'"Jurassic Jump Dino Beach Party & Dance " presented by Moonwalk Entertainment
February 5-15	Five Points Theatre	"Rodgers and Hammerstein's Cinderella" presented by Kempenfelt Community Players
February 14	Five Points Theatre	"Black History Month Tribute to Maestro Fresh Wes"
February 20-21	Georgian Theatre	"9th Annual Competitive Gala" presented by Elite Danceworks
February 25-28	Georgian Theatre	"The Lost Heroes of Oro" presented by Infinity Performing Arts Studio
ARENA EVENTS		
Multiple Dates	Sadlon Arena	Barrie Colts Home games
February 10	Peggy Hill Team Community Centre	Timothy Christian School Founder's Cup Tournament
February 14-16	Multiple Facilities	BWHA Winter Classic Tournament
February 19	Peggy Hill Team Community Centre	SCDSB Pink Puck Cup
February 20-21	Allandale Community Centre	Ontario Winter Games-Speed Skating Competition
February 27	Peggy Hill Team Community Centre	Hockey Helps the Homeless

February 28	Sadlon Arena	Big Air Allstars BMX/FMX Event
SPECIAL EVENTS & PROGRAMS		
February 7-8	Centennial & Will Dwyer Park	2026 Winterfest event featuring favourite winter activities,spectacular ice sculptures, lumberjack shows, family entertainment, drop-in activities, skating and much much more
February 21	Centennial Park	Polar Plunge presented by Barrie Police Service
February 21	Lampman Lane	CPR Clinic Hosted by St John Ambulance & the Rotary Club of Barrie
February 28	Dorian Parker/Sunnidale Park	Nature in Winter presented by City of Barrie Parks
February 28	City Hall and Streets	Coldest Night of the Year presented by Youth Haven
MONTH of FEBRUARY		
DATE	**LOCATION**	**ACTIVITY or EVENT**
55+ ACTIVITIES		
February 10	Parkview Community Centre	55+ Valentine's Luncheon
February 24	Allandale Community Centre	55+ Dance and Entertainment